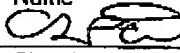


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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In supplement to the Response to Restriction Requirement filed by facsimile filed 12-16-2003, at 11:53 AM EST, Applicant wishes to point out to the Commissioner and Examiner an error in the claim count on the Amendment Transmittal Form. In the Amendment filed back on or about August 25, 2003 (when claims 41-86 were originally added to the present application), Applicant miscounted the total number of claims in the claim fee calculation section of the Amendment Transmittal (Applicant inadvertently counted 36 total claims instead of the right total of 46 claims). The Assignee's deposit account, however, was charged the appropriate claims fee for the correct total number of 46 (\$144.00 and \$84.00 were charged on 8-27-2003 for 36 total claims, and an additional \$180.00 was charged on 9-10-2003 for the additional 10 claims left out of the Amendment Transmittal). For the convenience of the Office and the Examiner, a corrected Amendment Transmittal is being submitted herewith.

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Please feel free to contact Craig Plastrik, at 301-601-7252, with any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,



Dated: December 16, 2003

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OFFICIAL**CORRECTED AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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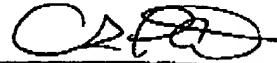
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- An extension for ___ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- The fee for claims is calculated below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT	EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	46 -	46 =	0 x	\$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 -	4 =	0 x	\$ 86.00 =	\$ 0.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			N (Y/N)	\$ 290.00 =	\$ 0.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					\$ 0.00	

Please charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383 of Hughes Electronics Corporation, El Segundo, California. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,


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